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BOARD OF EDUCATION

All of the Old Teachers are Re-elected.

BIDS FOR THE ADDITION TO THE LORIN SCHOOL REJECTED.

The Committee Reported that Salaries in Berkeley are Lower Than in Other Cities.

Board of Education.

When the roll was called all of the Directors answered to their names. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

President Boone stated that he had appeared before the County Board of Supervisors and submitted to them a report of the action taken by the Board of Education in relation to a direct tax and that honorable body would give the matter the attention due it at the proper time. The document which he presented was placed on file by the Board of Supervisors.

The Finance Committee submitted a report of the following bills, and warrants were ordered to be drawn for the individual amounts:

Kellogg School	\$545.00
Rose, St	197.50
Whittier	410.00
Le Conte	349.95
Lorin	417.50
S. Thors	23.50
Noah Bennett	37.85
Max Greenhood	4.50
John E. Boyd	1.50
Advocate	14.00
C. Underwood	5.25

Total \$2928.05

The Committee on School Houses and Sites reported that it had found quite a number of small repairs to be made in the different school houses, the cost of which would not exceed \$150. Also it reported that the San Pablo avenue school house needed painting, which would have to be advertised for. The small repairs would be attended to during the vacation.

The Committee on Rules offered the following resolution:

Resolved that no payment shall be made to any teacher until such teacher shall have rendered the service contemplated by his or her education.

This seemed to cause as much consternation as the placing of a red flag before a wild bull. Director Niehaus was of the opinion that the business of the Board should be conducted similar to other kinds and that where there was no work there should be no pay. Director Wickson and Robertson could not get at exactly what the resolution meant and thought it more expedient to let it pass without discussion in relation to its meaning the resolution was referred to the Finance Committee.

The Committee on Supplies were instructed to advertise for bids for supplies and for whatever school furniture might be needed throughout the year.

The special Committee on Salaries submitted the following report:

Gentlemen: We the undersigned, appointed a special committee to inquire into the relation of salaries paid to teachers in the Berkeley schools to those paid in other cities and towns and beg leave to report as follows:

Your committee has made a careful examination of the published salary lists in eight different towns on the Pacific Coast and submit herewith a tabulated statement in which the salaries paid the different grades and classes are conveniently arranged for comparison. Our examination of these figures indicates that the salaries paid in Berkeley are in some respects considerably lower than amounts paid for similar service elsewhere and are in no respect higher than salaries paid in other leading towns so far as our investigation has extended. For these reasons coupled with the fact that there is a great request for positions in spite of the moderate salaries paid, we recommend that there be no change in the salary schedule for the coming year.

E. J. WICKSON,
GEO. A. NORTON,
C. ENGELBERTZEN,
Committee.

The report was received and accepted and the committee discharged.

Director Robertson said that any one with ordinary vision could see that there were some children in the public

ARE FOR A NEW ROAD.

The Board of Supervisors Will Spend Money

FOR A NEW ROAD INTO CONTRA COSTA COUNTY.

Action Will be Taken Upon the Matter at the July Meeting of the Board.

New Road Over the Hills.

The Board of Supervisors, decided favorably yesterday upon a new road into Contra Costa county, that will overcome the steep grades travelers are compelled to face in going over the divide by the Fish Ranch route. Farmers of Contra Costa county have agreed to furnish an outlet upon their side of the line, provided the Alameda Supervisors will co-operate. The route selected is the road through the Medau property, northeast of Hays canyon. Arrangements have been made with Medau whereby he will accept \$500 in full for all damages to improvements which will have to be destroyed in building the road. The new road will be practically an extension of the Shepherd road that runs over the hills to the north of the Hays schoolhouse. It will overcome the so-called "Thornhill grade," and the route is deemed a very available one in every respect. A terminal outlet into the head of Thirteenth avenue will be made.

Wilbur Walker appeared before the Board to urge immediate action, but the Supervisors were agreed that the money necessary to set the work in motion would not be available until after the new fiscal year commences. For that reason they decided to wait until the meeting in July before ordering the necessary appropriation.

They estimate that there will be about two miles of road to build on the Alameda county side of the divide.

Died of Old Age

James S. Trowbridge died late yesterday afternoon of old age. He had been at the point of death for several days, and Dr. Whitworth, the attending physician, found that death was due to his extreme old age. The deceased was a native of Vermont, aged 73 years, and for the past eleven years has been a resident of Berkeley. Mr. Trowbridge, during his residence in the college town, became very prominent and made a wide circle of friends. He leaves a daughter, the wife of Rev. H. H. Dobbins, the Presbyterian minister, and a son, J. T. Trowbridge, who is at present in Alaska engaged in mining.

Oakland Theater

Milton and Dollie Nobles began their second week at the Oakland Theater last night. The play was Mrs. Nobles' well-known and popular comedy-drama, "Love and Law." The performance was thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience last evening and went with a happy dash and rein from beginning to end. It is brim full of good comedy and the sensational yells, snarls and exclaiming. Mr. Nobles has a great part as the comical and jolly Irish lawyer by the name of Pelly O'Polly. It was a most refreshing performance, particularly as the character differed so greatly from the usual Irish stage character. Mrs. Nobles was also seen to splendid advantage as Riita, the little Italian street singer. It was a powerful performance. The balance of the company all did well and helped to make the performance a success.

The Democrats are talking of putting up Frank Moffat as the Democratic Candidate for Congress from this district. Frank would make the strongest run of any Democratic candidate we know of in this district.

Reports from persons visiting in Southern California state that the weather is extremely warm there. A letter received at the Gazette office today states that on Sunday morning at 9 o'clock the thermometer registered 105 degrees.

The Oakland Theater has been well patronized by the Berkeley people during the past week, and they all express themselves enthusiastically over the performances.

SOME BUSINESS

High School Board

News of Interest Presented in Condensed Form

FOR THE DELECTION OF GAZETTE SUBSCRIBERS

The Work of the Gazette's Pencil Pusher in His Travels All Over the Town

Transacted by the High School Board Last Night.

All members present. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

A special Committee on Salaries reported that the salary of Miss Clarys should be raised from \$85 to \$90. All others to remain the same. Report of Committee received and the Committee discharged with thanks.

The Finance Committee reported favorably on the salaries of the teachers and warrants were ordered to be drawn for the same.

The Class Committee reported that the graduating exercises were held and everything passed off satisfactorily. Thanks were voted to the gentlemen who made the address at the meeting.

Professor John S. Drew tendered his resignation as teacher of the department of Physics and Chemistry of the High School.

Resolved that the Board in accepting the same recognizes that the present efficiency of the department is entirely due to his efforts, and the fact that it is among the accredited subjects for entrance to the University speaks for itself.

Resolved that this Board extends its thanks to Mr. Drew for his past services and wishes him success in other fields of his own selection.

The resolutions were adopted.

The election of a teacher to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Professor Drew was gone into and D. R. Wood, who had taught at Stockton and Santa Ana, was elected.

The election of a German teacher, and the advisability of such an election, was laid over until the next meeting of the Board.

The Committee on School Houses and Sites was directed to look after the necessary repairs during the vacation.

Principal Waterman stated that it was necessary to have a case for the books now in the High School and the Committee was directed to attend to it. It was necessary to have one sufficiently large for 500 volumes.

President Boone was requested to interview the Railroad Company in regard to getting passes for the children who would have to go to Lorin to school.

On motion adjourned.

LORIN NEWS.

R. Guy McLellan One of the Oldest Settlers Passes Away.

Lorin.

R. Guy McLellan, the well known attorney, died last evening, at his late residence on McGee street, at the age of 65 years 2 months 21 days. He was a native of Prince Edwards Island, Dominion of Canada. He leaves a wife and two grown sons, Robert Bruce aged 35 years and Clifford aged 23 years. He arrived in California in 1855 and has been living at Lorin since 1880. He was an attorney at law and author having written the books called "The Golden State," "Republicanism in America" and a pamphlet entitled "The American House of Lords in the United States Senate."

Mr. McLellan was a Republican in politics and stamped the State several years, a temperance advocate and a thorough American in all of his ideas. It has been decided to hold an autopsy as he has been ill for a number of years and has been treated by a number of eminent physicians. Notice of the funeral will be given later.

The funeral will take place on Thursday, at 11 a. m., from his late residence at Lorin, Interment private.

Miss Carrie L. Louisa Stevenson, daughter of J. Thomas Stephenson, graduated yesterday from the Hamilton Grammar School at San Francisco. She was one of the medalists, and won a prize of \$25 some time ago for the best essay. All of the schools at San Francisco were in competition. Since her mother's death she has been residing with her aunt, Miss Laura Barrows, of San Francisco.

The Oriole Athletic Club is discussing the advisability of striking out a clause in its bylaws which does not allow anyone to become a member who is over 18 years of age.

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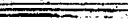
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